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REMARKS

1. The Bulgarian AAA up to 9 September 1944, had been a component part of the army artillery, was trained by it, but was subordinate to the air force for tactical employment. After 9 September 1944 it ceased to be subject to air force orders and was strictly subordinated to the Hq of the army artillery.
2. No information was available on the organization and armament of the AAA.

The Hq of the air force, in the Spring of 1948, issued an order to all air units and the Directorate for Aviation that the established air corridors, as had existed during the war, were to be strictly observed. The AA gun emplacements, which had been built during the war near the airfields of SOFIA-VRASHDEBNA (B 1/L 46) and PLOVDIV (B 12/A 40) were re-occupied at the same time.

25X1 Comment:

It is considered credible that the subordination of the AAA to the air force was discontinued in Bulgaria since after the war the AAA of all the satellite states was subordinated to the army.

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